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SUBJECT: SENATE PASSES BILL ON MIHAJLOVIC MONUMENT

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1. WHILE NOT OF ANY PARTICULAR HELP IN DEALING WITH GOY REACTION, WE HAVE DEVELOPED SOME ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON SEEMINGLY INCONGRUOUS SEANTE ACTION ON MIHAJLOVIC MONUMENT. PRINCIPAL SPONSORS WERE SENATOR CANNON, FORMER AF PILOT WHO WAS APPARENTLY HELPED BY CETNIKS AFTER HE WAS SHOT DOWN OVER YUGOSLAVIA, THURMOND, AND HATHAWAY. THERE WAS NO CONSIDERATION OF THE PROPOSAL BY THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE AND THE RULES COMMITTEE SIMPLY PASSED IT WITHOUT ANY SERIOUS CONSIDERATION.

2. WE HAVE RECONFIRMED TODAY THAT HOUSE ACTION IS MOST
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UNLIKELY.

3. YOU MAY WISH TO CONSIDER WRITING TO CANNON, HATHAWAY ABOUT THE DANGER SUCH A THING CAN CAUSE TO THE U.S. NATIONAL INTEREST AND FOLLOW UP WITH SEPARATE LETTER TO PELL, WHO AS MEMBER OF RULES COMITE COULD HAVE STOPPED IT AND DID NOT. WE, OR COURSE, WILL BE MAKING THESE ARGUMENTS OURSELVES, BUT

A LETTER FROM YOU WOULD ADD SOME PATINA TO OUR EFFORTS.
CHRISTOPHER

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